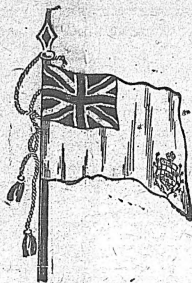


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The Store with the Goods

Breezelets

One night last week, six dozen eggs were stolen from a Calgary produce warehouse. The safe, which had been tampered with, had the appearance of being very hastily abandoned. The mystery has since been solved.

The "new laid eggs" were the "strong" cold storage variety, and the safe crackers had cracked and broken some of the eggs. Gee whizz! The safe blowers didn't wait for the change in the safe, but ran out—and maybe are running yet.

Frederick William Hohenzollen says he warned his father that Britain would go against Germany in the war.

Yes, and then both he and his father laughed at Britain's "insignificant little army." He laughs best who laughs last.

Report comes of a "quake" at Vancouver and Victoria, one day last week.

Gee! And some of Chinook's citizens have gone to these places to spend a nice quiet winter.

Canada's war indemnity will be \$1,500,000,000. This sum is

within half a billion dollars the whole of Germany's war indemnity against France in the 1870 war.

Some moons will have passed by the time Germany has paid off the Allies' war indemnities—and prepare for "the dey" again.

"Ex-Kaiser was world's worst criminal," says Hall Caine, a noted English writer.

And as such he will receive his punishment—the blood of the innocent millions of martyrs demands it.

"The yoke of martial law very greatly galls the Germans."

On entering German Aix La Chappelle, the Belgian army put into force the same laws as the Germans did when they occupied the Belgian city of Brussels. But they whine when they get back some of their own bitter medicine

Some noted Germans claim their army was never defeated.

Because they ran away home. Like their navy, they had only to stay in the game a few days longer — Foch said "ten" — and there would have been neither any German army or navy.

"Britain Day" was well and

Fix Your Buildings So Your Feed Bills Will Be As Low As Possible This Winter

Remember that Cold, Draughty Buildings

makes cold Horses, Cattle and Hogs, and cold animals eat more trying to keep warm.

Buildings should be made wind tight, but should be carefully ventilated.

The cost of doing this can easily be saved in reduced feed bills and the better condition of stock in the spring.

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Get your material HERE—free plans if you want them for new work or extensive alterations.

FLETCHER LUMBER CO., Limited

The Independent Lumbermen

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We are not satisfied unless you are.

fittingly celebrated throughout the United States last week.

And so the Union Jack and Old Glory "smoked the pipe of peace," all sincerely hope for all time.

Canadian troops are now on German soil.

Johnny Canuck has realized part of his ambitions, and he yet may get to Berlin before peace is signed.

British troops reach the Rhine

That sounds better than "German troops reach the Thames."



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than Soap.



The King and His Cousin

George V. Most Deeply Attached to Former Czar

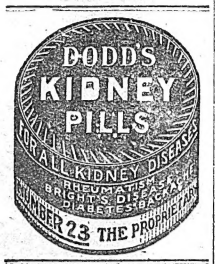
King George is said by some who probably know nothing about it, to have been deeply overcome when he learned of the assassination of the czar. Of all the monarchs in Europe it was his cousin, the Czar, that he was most deeply attached to. His personal intimacy was close, we are assured on the same authority. It will be remembered at the time of the revolution that it was stated how anxious King George personally was to offer immediate hospitality to the deposed emperor, but was reluctantly compelled to perceive how impossible such a step would be diplomatically. That does not tend to alleviate His Majesty's grief. It is violating no secret to say that the king never extended to the Tsarina any greater measure of friendship than due courtesy. His affection was concentrated on her husband.

GUARD THE CHILDREN FROM AUTUMN COLDS

The Fall weather is the most severe season of the year for colds—one day is warm, the next is wet and cold and the mother is on her guard the little ones are seized with colds that may hang on all winter. Baby's Own Tablets are mothers' best friend in preventing or banishing colds. They act as a gentle laxative, keeping the bowels and stomach free and sweet. An occasional dose will prevent colds or if it does come on suddenly the prompt use of the Tablets will quickly cure it. The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Hurtful to His Feelings
Little Tommy came home from Sunday school one day in a very thoughtful mood. "Mother," he said, "don't you think I've been a good boy since I've been to Sunday school?" "Why yes, certainly," replied the mother. "Don't you think you can trust me now, mother?" "Of course I do! But why do you ask?" "Oh, nothing," replied the boy, "only I was wondering why you kept the cakes locked up just the same as you did before I went to Sunday school!"

Butter for Siberia
A shipment of Saskatoon butter is on its way to Siberia, having been bought by the military department for the use of the Siberian force. It comprises two carloads and is the first shipment of butter to Russia ever made from this province.



W. N. U. 1234

Cambrai Has a Long History

Until Recent Times Was Fortress of Considerable Strength

The little town of Cambrai, which climbs up the slope on the eastern bank of the Scheldt at one end of the St. Quentin canal, some 14 miles northeast of Brussels, was for the greater part of its history, and until recent times, a fortress of considerable strength. It was the Charlesmenne who first built walls around it, and thence onward it figures prominently in the history of northern France as a place "never in dispute." When the battle was not laid between rival princes at home, or when Cambrai was not besieged by foreign invaders it was the scene of the most violent hostilities between the Bishop of Cambrai and his supporters on the one hand and the citizens on the other. The sturdy inhabitants, after keeping up the struggle intermittently for some three hundred years, finally, in the twelfth century, achieved their independence and wrested rights and privileges from the great church dignitary who ruled over them, which ever afterwards they jealously guarded.

There always had been a town hereabouts. As in the case of most ancient towns, the site is an old one. Cambrai was Cambracum in the days when Caesar "overcame the Nervii," and Cambracum was an ancient Nervian town which finds mention in the Antonine Itinerary.

And so since the time that the legions of the great Caesar took it down past the time that Charles the Great fortified it, right through to the present day Cambrai, as has been said, has moved in and out of French history. Most of its entrances and exits have been warlike ones, yet Cambrai, during the fifteenth and sixteenth centuries and for long afterwards, was noted as a place of trade and affairs. The town indeed gave its name to that fine linen, produced here in such abundance in the fifteenth century, which in England came to be held in high regard under the name of cambrie, but in France as batiste, after the name of its inventor, one Baptiste, whose status still stands on the "Esplanade." At some time now since Cambrai decided that its fighting days, behind it, or at any rate that its fortifications were not of much value, and proceeded to raze them, and the outbreak of the present great struggle found the little city on the banks of the Scheldt an open town. The fortifications with which it was formerly surrounded, had for the most part been demolished. The fortress had been built in the ramparts, in part, leveled to make way, as the suburbs extended, for avenues stretching out all straight to the survivors of this energetic demolition are the huge square citadel, which still rises as the best of the town, the citadel de Sellen, and such as the Porte Notre Dame and the Porte Robert.

Catarrh Cannot be Cured

With LOCAL AFFECTIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease, Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by unusual conditions, and in order to cure it you must take an internal remedy. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts on the blood, on the minute vessels of the system. Hall's Catarrh Cure was given to the world by the great physician, Dr. J. C. Hall, who is a member of the best blood purifier. His perfect combination of ingredients produces a powerful result in catarrhal conditions. Send for a free trial.

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Dr. Hall's Family Kidney for constipation.

Dogs' Wool

Is Sterilized and Cleaned Before Spinning

The spinning of dogs' wool has proved a success, and several outfits have been opened in London to receive and prepare the countings. The Ladies' Kennel Association, Belfast Chambers, Beak street, Regent street, W. receive the wool, sterilize and clean it, after which it is sent to the central work rooms for spinning. The wool from Pekinese and Poodles is especially beautiful; the latter grey sheep dog is also responsible for delightful knitted jackets that stand up and of great and laudable beauty. All soft haired dogs yield lovely wool and the hair from wire haired dogs is used to stuff pillows for the wounded. The Countess of Gosford, Royal Academy, Piccadilly, W., has charge of this industry.

I was cured of Rheumatic Gout by MINARD'S LINIMENT.

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Lakefield, Que., Oct. 9, 1907.

"Visiting Cards" at the North Pole
The silk flag which Al Amundsen is taking with him to plant at the North Pole—"if the opportunity presents itself" (says the London Observer) will be used of course, for purely formal purposes, for the rights of the first comer belong to the Stars and Stripes were planted there by Commander Peary on April 6, 1909. Naturally, every nation which achieves a victory at the North Pole is anxious to possess the wonderful heritage this Dominion was intended to be. It has always been a tradition that the "up north" was practically a virgin territory, but those who have tried it, who know it best, do not say so; spring comes almost as soon as the snow melts, on the St. Lawrence, and earlier, perhaps, in northern British Columbia than in Manitoba. Remoteness was never much more than a bogey conjured up by the timid.

From the Chestnut Tree
"Free seats in churches ought to be abolished."

"I'm astounded, sir. Why?"

"They make people good for nothing."

Pigmy Elephants

Considered a Most Important Zoological Discovery

Two specimens of a hitherto unknown species of elephant, a real dwarf variety, have been captured in Africa and were taken to England. This is considered a most important zoological discovery, comparable with that of the okapi in the Congo forest a few years ago. These pigmy elephants grow to be 3 1/2 or 6 feet high; that is, half the height of the largest of an ordinary African elephant. The tusks of the two dwarf elephants now in England are very dark, and display evidence of wear and of exposure to a wet or muddy habitat. They are abnormally small. Those of the female weigh about a pound each, and those of the male 3 1/2 pounds each, compared with 110 pounds as the weight of one tusk of a grown African bull elephant.

Dragged Down by Asthma.
The man or woman who is continually subject to asthma is unfitted for his or her life's work. Strength depends and energy is taken away from it. There comes a dreary existence, and this is needless. Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy has brought a great change to an army of sufferers. It relieves the restricted air tubes and guards against future trouble. Try it.

Champ gne Catacombs

Millions of Bottles of Wine Hoarded in Vaults

The glory of Rheims is undoubtedly its mediaeval cathedral, and all its associations, says the Yorkshire Post, but I must confess that I was almost equally interested in what was noted as a place of trade and affairs. The town indeed gave its name to that fine linen, produced here in such abundance in the fifteenth century, which in England came to be held in high regard under the name of cambrie, but in France as batiste, after the name of its inventor, one Baptiste, whose status still stands on the "Esplanade." At some time now since Cambrai decided that its fighting days, behind it, or at any rate that its fortifications were not of much value, and proceeded to raze them, and the outbreak of the present great struggle found the little city on the banks of the Scheldt an open town. The fortifications with which it was formerly surrounded, had for the most part been demolished. The fortress had been built in the ramparts, in part, leveled to make way, as the suburbs extended, for avenues stretching out all straight to the survivors of this energetic demolition are the huge square citadel, which still rises as the best of the town, the citadel de Sellen, and such as the Porte Notre Dame and the Porte Robert.

Whether the corn be of old or new growth, it must yield to Holloway's Food, the strongest and best cure offered to the public.

The Dominion's Natural Resources

Potential Wealth of Canada Brought to Attention of the Royal Geographical Society

At a recent meeting of the Royal Geographical society, the Hon. Arthur Meighen read a paper on "The Natural Resources of Canada." His audience comprised most of those public men who take a lively interest in the greater British overseas, and the close attention with which the speaker was followed seemed to promise gratifying results later on. Any man who is privileged to address the members of England's premier body of geographers is certain of a distinguished and influential audience.

While little that the minister of the interior said would strike any Canadian possessed of average information as new, it may have been quite otherwise under the circumstances of its delivery. If so it served an excellent purpose. Our natural resources are great; this we know; the next step is to see that the resources which may help develop these resources also realize their importance.

He spoke of the tremendous mountain ranges, as forgetting to mention that Mount Logan, in the St. Elias range of the Yukon, towers to 19,539 feet above the sea level. The lakes, almost seas, and of the 600,000,000 acres of forest. Our coal reserves are placed by Mr. Meighen at 1,234,000,000 tons, or equal to seven-tenths of all the known coal deposits under the British flag, of which the Canadian reserve in Alberta is thought to hold four-fifths. Happy Alberta!

It appears we have, according to the latest census, enough caribou roaming the so-called barren lands to feed the allied nations for years.

Dr. W. Meighen, provincial geologist for Ontario, spoke at some length on the mineral resources of the Dominion, but unfortunately forgot to mention an oversight, could not be reproduced with those of Mr. Meighen. The latter, seeing that a better authority was to describe the Dominion was intended to be. It has always been a tradition that the "up north" was practically a virgin territory, but those who have tried it, who know it best, do not say so; spring comes almost as soon as the snow melts, on the St. Lawrence, and earlier, perhaps, in northern British Columbia than in Manitoba. Remoteness was never much more than a bogey conjured up by the timid.

Many realize that, hitherto, settlement has made far greater strides in an east and west line than from south to north. In fact Canada, so far as settlement is concerned, resembles somewhat a long, straggling street. From Halifax to Vancouver and from Vancouver to Halifax the traveller faces the setting or the rising sun—never the pole star. Yet, as Mr. Meighen intimated, our aim should be to add depth to our occupation, and to enter into and fully possess the wonderful heritage this Dominion was intended to be. It has always been a tradition that the "up north" was practically a virgin territory, but those who have tried it, who know it best, do not say so; spring comes almost as soon as the snow melts, on the St. Lawrence, and earlier, perhaps, in northern British Columbia than in Manitoba. Remoteness was never much more than a bogey conjured up by the timid.



Transferring the Bad Luck

A visitor on a British battleship was dining with a group of officers when his fork accidentally struck a glass tumbler. As the glass rebounded the officer shouted as one man, "Boche." On asking for an explanation the visitor was told that the ringing of a glass meant bad luck. One officer declared that on one ship he formerly commanded every time a glass was rung a man fell overboard. It was the same now, "Boche," when a table accident occurs, they hoping to transfer their bad luck to the enemy.

Minard's Liniment Cures Colds, etc.

Double Entry Bookkeeping Ancient
It comes as a surprise, very often to find how far back in the centuries some of the ordinary things of every day life cast their roots. It may not be generally realized that double entry bookkeeping, for instance, adopted in most large businesses of the modern world, originated, or if it did not originate, was practised, among the mercantile communities of Italy in the fifteenth century. An early exponent of the system was a Minorite monk named Luca de Burgo, otherwise Pacioli, who wrote and published a treatise on the subject in Venice in the year 1494, three years before Sebastian Cabot landed in America. The system survives as the basis of the modern practice, with the exception of the few alterations necessitated by four centuries of commercial evolution.

The Friend of All Sufferers—Like to the shadow of a rock in a weary land is Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil, to those who suffer pain. It holds out hope to everyone and realizes it by stilling suffering everywhere. It is a liniment that has the blessings of half a continent. It is on sale everywhere and can be found wherever powdered.

Enriched putty has been invented that can be colored as desired and mixed with water when it is to be used.

He Cannot Sleep

It isn't the body that craves rest, but the mind.

When you are bodily tired you can usually fall to sleep at the first opportunity.

But when the nerves are irritated by anxiety and worry rest and sleep seem to be impossible.

The mind seems to be most alert, and you are thinking, thinking, thinking—first of one thing and then of another—often matters of little or no importance. But you simply cannot sleep.

Sleeplessness is the most common and often the first indication of a breaking down of the nervous system.

The object of sleep is to allow the body to rebuild tissue and the nerves to recover tone. Sleep is the ideal condition for this process.

If you cannot sleep you worry, and worry breaks down the nerve cells at a tremendous rate, so that instead of laying up nerve force for the demands of the day you are using up the reserve.

The nerve centres are sometimes likened to storage batteries. If you continue to consume the nervous energy in reserve, without paying back, these centres become sooner or later depleted, and you find yourself nervous wreck.

After a sleepless night you get up feeling tired and lacking in mental energy. Your day's work seems more than you can face, and you become down-hearted and discouraged.

The future is not bright, for you must realize that the natural result is exhausted nerves, paralysis, locomotor ataxia or some form of helplessness.

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Narrow Escape of Two Kings

Sovereigns of Wurttemberg and Saxony Flee from Daddelle

From civilians freed from the Germans in Flanders it was learned that the kings of Wurttemberg and Saxony had escaped the fate of their subjects something happen to them at Daddelle, northwest of Menin. Both monarchs were in the town when the British suddenly opened up on it with a whirlwind bombardment. They fled in a hurry, and so far as is known, managed to get away safely.

Some enlightening information was gained from these liberated Flemings. Some of them from Ledeghem said that ever since the Germans first came to their towns in 1914 they had forced all civilians to sleep on the floors, while husky Germans occupied their beds. Twenty-eight of the villagers were killed by the Germans. One of these was taken out, stood against a wall and shot. The villagers were fed by the American commission for relief in Belgium. They said, but the Germans always took this food away from them and gave them their own German rations, which invariably were bad and unfit to eat.

It was on September 23 that the Germans ordered the villagers of Ledeghem to evacuate the place, but many of them hid in cellars or in the suburbs of the town where they remained until the British entered. The Germans told the villagers that they would like to surrender to the Scottish troops, but that the Scots had the nasty habit of cutting the throats of the Germans when they caught them, and, therefore, they were afraid to take a chance. The Germans, villagers said, also told them that the British were terrible things, the British would do to the villagers when they entered the town.

According to the villagers, many German horses have died in Flanders because there was no food of any kind for them, and the German automobiles are running on their rims because the Germans have no tires.

Minard's Liniment Cures Diphtheria.

Naval Nicknames

Curious nicknames are applied to vessels of the British navy. The Arcturion is known as the "Jolly Annie," or "Haggy Agony," the Narcissus as "Nasty Stinky," the Grassy as the "Grassy," the Inconstant as "Inkstand," the Iphigenia as the "Silly June," the Lucifer as the "Match Box," the Eclips as the "E.C. or the Tom," and the Neptune as the "Jew's Harp."

In the United States navy similar nicknames have been used to some extent. The Sassacus was known as the "Sassy Cuss," the Manontowoc as "My Aunt Don't Know You," the Wissaticum as the "Widow Higgins," the Winnagoose or perhaps the Wyandott as "We know She Goes Slow."

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For BLACK, WHITE, TAN, DARK BROWN, OR OX-BLOOD SHOES.
PRESERVE THE LEATHER

Poor Dog Under Shell Fire

In a letter describing the behavior of domestic animals under fire, a soldier says: A big black mongrel came into our improvised trench late one afternoon. He had survived a terrible ten hours' bombardment of shell and gas, and sank down by my side utterly exhausted. His body became stiff and nothing, not even the tenderest bits of bully beef, would make him move. His brown eyes looked mournfully into mine as if longing to tell me something. Just then the boche commenced strafing and at every explosion a shiver ran through his body. He did not know what became of the poor beast. There was an engagement soon afterwards and this big, black mongrel disappeared.

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Rabbit Breeding Popular
Rabbit breeding is being taken up with enthusiasm along the Pacific coast. Four thousand persons in Los Angeles have gone in for this exciting and profitable hobby. More attention should be paid to rabbit breeding in Canadian cities.

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Municipal Mail Insurance
On Feb. 27th, a by-law providing that we come under the operation of the new Municipal Insurance Act, will be submitted for the approval of the electors of Sounding Creek and adjoining municipalities.

The following are a few facts pertinent to this question. Hail insurance companies have to create their own organizations and appoint agents. This, along with the competition between companies, naturally involves high overhead and agency expenses.

With regard to expense, the Provincial Government and the municipalities are in a very different situation. They require no agents and have an organization ready-made that can carry the hail insurance business with practically no additional charge on the electorate. The overhead charges of the system at present in force have amounted to less than 5% and it is believed that by taking in a greater area this can be still further reduced.

Under the municipal scheme, no profits are contemplated, but only sufficient will be charged to cover actual insurance costs and build up a reasonable emergency fund. Municipal hail insurance thus follows the same mutual or co-operative system of doing business which is exemplified in the U.F.A. and the U.G.G. and which Alberta farmers seem to have decided to be in their best interests.

The profit end of it, too, is almost certain, under company insurance. The municipal adjuster has no motive whatever to secure anything but an equitable settlement between the insured and the hail board.

M. D. of Golden Centre

The 10th meeting of the above council was held at L. C. Michael's Wednesday Dec 4th.

All members present, except Councillors Ellis

Minutes read and adopted
Correspondence read and dis-
Dept of Public Works was re-
quested to survey roadway on n
half 28-24-5

Accounts ordered paid:
West Muni News 2.05
Doonan & Sinclair, bolts 1.05
T Middleton, imp fees 25.25
John Thompson " 39.75
L C Michaels, rent 12.00
L A Walker " 6.00
I P Opheim, fees & mill'g 11.60

M Danielson " 14.40
F B Fulton " 8.40
H G Logan " 20.00
J H Ellis " 12.00
R Gardiner " 13.40
Riddellvale school dist 350.00
Longdale " 200.00

Webster S.D. taxes paid 130.80
Farming Valley S.D. loan 200.00
Cop Hill " 200.00
Wenger Heights " 80.00
Ralph Greene, salary 237.50
Geo Ritter, road work 12.00
W T Woodward " 6.00
Chas Bricker " 4.00

H G Logan " 112.72
John Thompson " 22.56
H T Lafferty " 20.00
Frank Thayer " 15.00
R B Riddell " 72.00
W Briggs " 65.00
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C Baird " 65.00

Crown Lumber Co, lumber 6.15
S H Walper, wire, &c 7.75
" build pound 15.00
L K Sully, stamps 25.00
C Joyes, hauling wheat 16.00
Accounts of W H McIntyre and J F Gwarthy for use of cook and bunk car were returned and asked for more reasonable charge

By-law to bring M. D. under the operation of Municipal Hail Ins. Act was read twice.

Adjourned to meet Jan 2nd
Ralph Greene, Sec-Treas

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CHINOOK LODGE, No. 40, meets on the First and Third Thursdays of every month in their Castle Hall, Arm's Block, Chinook.

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N. Kerry, N.G. F. Boyer, R.S.

Influenza Requires Careful Watching

THE present epidemic of influenza stands out as one of the most severe that has ever swept over Canada. On no previous invasion of this disease did the mortality resulting from the affections of the respiratory organs, brain and digestive system reach that of the present scourge. Unfortunately although influenza is by no means a modern disease comparatively little was known of its epidemic form until after the ravages it made in 1890-91, and the nature of the infection is even yet, not clearly understood. For example, it is well known that the epidemic of 1890 was followed by many local epidemics as reflexes of the main scourge. Further, if the present experience is to be analogous to that of 1890, it may also be expected that the number of cases tuberculosis and pneumonia will be above normal for some time.

All of which indicates the need for more than ordinary precaution against the disease and its consequent affections, for many months to come. It is devoutly to be hoped that the present epidemic has enabled students of medical science to arrive at more accurate conclusions with respect to the causes and remedies for influenza, so that, if the recurrence of pandemics, or even of epidemics, cannot be entirely prevented, their disastrous effects may be greatly lessened.

How to Qualify for V.A.D. Certificates

A CLASS in First Aid, Home Nursing, Home Hygiene or Sanitation may be organized in any community in co-operation with the St. John Ambulance Association. According to the rules of this Association, it should consist of not more than 30 members of one sex (except in the case of home hygiene, in which mixed classes are permitted). As soon as sufficient names have been secured the service of a doctor should be obtained, to conduct the lectures and examine the class on its completion. Usually local doctors are willing to render these services free. Such services by the surgeon lecturer makes him eligible for recommendation as an honorary life member of the St. John Ambulance Association on his giving four-courses gratuitously.

Each member of the class is assessed a fee to cover the necessary expenses of the course. Roughly speaking, the cost to each individual of a class of 30

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A Certificate is provided for the purchaser of a W.-S. S. On the certificate are spaces to which 10 W.-S. S. may be affixed. A certificate bearing one or more W.-S. S. may be registered at any Money-Order Post Office, fully protecting the owner against loss by fire, burglary or other cause.

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members for the full course of five lectures, the examination and the issue of certificates will amount to about \$1.50.

Classes are held not oftener than once a week, at a time and place to be mutually agreed upon and each lecture and practice should last for two hours. Each class appoints a secretary who is responsible for all the fees being paid at the start and must see that a roll of attendance is kept and that all supplies are in their place at the time of the lectures. This officer reports to the Honorary Secretary of the local centre if such exist, and if not, to the Honorary Secretary of the Provincial Council. On receipt of the fees the examination papers are forwarded to the examiner.

Any further information may be had from the general secretary of the St. John Ambulance Association, Castle Building, Ottawa.

Why not start a branch in Chinook this winter? The in-

formation gained would of great value in the home and in emergency.

SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTH-WEST LAND REGULATIONS

THE sale land of a family, or any male over 18 years old, may homestead a quarter section of available Dominion land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta. Applicant must appear in person at the Dominion Lands Agency or Sub-Agency for the district. Entry by proxy may be made at any Dominion Lands Agency (but not Sub-Agency), on certain conditions.

Rule—Six months' residence upon and cultivation of the land in each of three years. A homesteader may live within one mile of his homestead on a farm of at least 80 acres, on certain conditions. A habitable house is required, except where residence is performed in the vicinity.

In certain districts a homesteader in good standing may pre-empt a quarter section alongside his homestead. Price \$3.00 per acre.

Rule—Six months' residence in each of six years after settling homestead patent; also 50 acres extra cultivation. Pre-emption patent may be obtained as soon as homestead patent, on certain conditions.

A settler who has exhausted his homestead right may take a purchased homestead in certain districts. Price \$10.00 per acre. Duties—Must reside on each of three years, cultivate 50 acres and erect a house worth \$35.00.

The area of cultivation is subject to reduction in rough, scrubby or stony land. Live stock may be substituted for cultivation under certain conditions.

W. W. COBB, C.M.G.

Deputy of the Minister of the Interior
N.B.—Unauthorized publication of this advertisement will not be paid for.—G.S.S.

Christmas Goods !

The Xmas Season is only two weeks away. Soon be time to select Xmas goods. We have some very nice Xmas goods.

For Ladies

We have silk waists, china, embroidered handkerchiefs, fine silk neck scarfs, fancy collars, silk hosiery, kid gloves, etc.

For Men

Beautiful assortment of neckties, silk neck scarfs, arm bands, suspenders, Moche gloves and mitts, sweaters, etc

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Mouth organs, a few toys, toques, mitts, dolls, candies, nuts, etc.

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Chinook Breezes

Saturday, Dec. 21st, shortest day of the year.

J. W. Richardson has made application for his naturalization papers.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Mannen and family are spending the winter in Calgary.

Barrister W. M. Crockett of Calgary was in town last week, looking after his interest here.

McColl — At Collholme, on Saturday, Dec. 7th, to Mr. and Mrs. Meredith McColl, a daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Lake went to Calgary on Sunday morning. On Monday Mrs. Lake phoned to Chinook that Mr. Lake was down with the flu.

There will be a memorial service in the Chinook church next Sunday afternoon, Dec. 15th, at 3 o'clock, for the late Ardice Chapman. Evening service as usual at 7 o'clock.

By an amendment to the M.D. Act, the nominations for councillors do not take place till Feb., instead of in December as formerly. Election takes place February 27, 1919.

Drop in the Advance office and see our selection of Xmas and New Year's cards. They make a nice and suitable remembrance to your friends, and at a reasonable price.

The store windows in town are in Christmas attire, and are very attractively dressed. No need to send away for your Christmas presents. Look over the Advance ads., and you will find what you want, if not, drop in the stores and ask for it.

Mrs. Bertie Currie returned home last week from the Calgary hospital where she had undergone an operation for appendicitis. Her case was a very serious one, and less than one hour longer would, the medical men said, no doubt, have proved fatal. To make matters worse the train was four hours late.

In the school hospital report in last week's issue, the item "Laundry and coal (I. Deman) \$5.00" should read "Express on Red Cross work from Edmonton (I. Deman) \$5.00." Perhaps it can be better understood, when it is explained that the Red Cross society at Edmonton loaned a large parcel of goods (bedding, &c.) for use at the hospital at the school during the influenza epidemic, and it was on this parcel that the express charges were paid by Mr. Deman.

The Flu Won't Fly

The flu seems a very hard visitor to "shake." Just when you think you have him on the run—he bobs up again unexpectedly, and makes himself quickly known. On Thursday of last week, the Chinook school hospital board felt sure that the flu was down and out in Chinook when the last patient had gone, and had the hospital closed and the building fumigated, and handed in their resignations, the nurses having gone the day before. Two hours later four new cases came in from the country, and hastily the hospital had to be prepared to receive them, nurses and help procured. During the week this number had been increased to nine, we understand however that the last will be out this week.

Miss Basha Giberson, from Nova Scotia, but is now teaching school at Vulcan, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. D. V. Boyer.

A donation of \$5.00 was given by Mr. Oliver Knight towards the expenses of the school hospital, which was appreciated. This donation was omitted from our report of the hospital's assets and expenditures published last week.

The local Oddfellows Lodge installed a new lodge in Oyen on Tuesday night. Matt sneaked off the lodge goat in his auto—the goat was just in prime condition for his part in the program. Some of the Oyen lads where a pretty sick looking bunch when the goat got into action.

At the nomination to elect a council for Chinook, held this evening, five ratepayers were present, and one councillor nominated, when three are needed. This will necessitate another nomination, and failing then to nominate a council, the government steps in and appoints a trustee to run the town affairs, whose salary and expenses would about swallow up next year's taxes. No council—taxes about double. What has become of the kickers, who could show past councils "how things should be done"—on paper? A great opportunity is now open to such—with the usual reward.

Grave fears are entertained in Calgary that the influenza epidemic is on the verge of breaking out again. Thirty-two cases of influenza were reported on Monday, twenty on Tuesday and twenty on Wednesday morning.

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M. D. of Collholme
No 243
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MONEY to buy Seed Grain for unpatented lands will be supplied by the banks to those whose application for same is approved of by the Dominion Government. These applications must be made through the Secretary of your municipality. Those ratepayers who require seed for Patented Lands should apply to the Secretary of the Municipality for same, and should be present at the meeting of the Council to be held in Collholme School-house on Saturday Dec. 28th, at 10 o'clock. The Council have no assurance that their notes for this purpose will be guaranteed by the government, nor that they will be accepted by the bank, even after they are guaranteed. They are doing their best to secure money to provide this seed that is necessary, and request all who can possibly secure seed for themselves to do so. Assistance by the Municipality will be given only where it is absolutely necessary, and only when application for same has been approved by the Council in meeting assembled.

LORNE PROUDFOOT
Sec.-Treas.
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LORNE PROUDFOOT,
Agent, Chinook

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" No. 3	1 92
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NOTICE is hereby given that M. F. Suter of

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Minister of Public Works, Edmonton, for lease of

the following road allowance or surveyed highway, viz.

Between Sections 19 and 20, township 25, range 7,

of 4 mer.

Any protest against the granting of the above

mentioned lease must be forwarded to the Minister

of Public Works, Edmonton, within thirty days from

the date of this notice.

30th day of November, 1918 M. F. SUTER